

✓ STATE Oregon	COUNTY Benton	TOWN OR VICINITY Hoskins	6s 2p 1d
INDEX NUMBER ORE. 2- Hosk, 1-	MONUMENT James Watson House (2p)		
REPRESENTED IN NEGATIVE FILE	U.S. SURVEY NO. ORE-30 ✓	Blt. by Watson 1852 for fam- ily residence. Came in 1847.	
PUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPHS	Description- Almost square in ground plan & low compared to width. Proba- bly oldest plastered house in Willam-		
PUBLISHED DRAWINGS	ette Valley. Lumber dressed by hand, doors & windows hand-made, walls of boards 2 inches thick grooved on both		
FN- 3	edges with narrow strips driven tightly into grooves after boards had been nailed to (over)		
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James Watson was born 1808 in Marion Co., Kentucky.
frame vertically. Except new roof and founda-
tion house had no repairs; stands as built.
Present owner Jas. Price, lives there, farms
fertile old claim.

Refs.: HABS; Ore. Hist. Soc.; files of
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